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A. H. MITCHELL, Business Manager.

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THE SEMI-WEEKLY

# Fisherman & Farmer.

PUBLISHED EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

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ADVERTISING  
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This Office.

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—FOR—

# 92 Cts.

And yet some people would believe such a thing possible. What we will do, however, is to give you full value for every dollar spent with us.

One Dollar spent at our store goes a long ways.

Read some of the prices and don't let them prejudice your mind, but come and see with your own two eyes and you will say, it pays to go down town to trade.

Examine our all wool flannel dress goods at 30 cents per yard.

All shades of double width Tricots, at 57 1/2 cts. We have marked down all of our 25c worsteds to 15 cents. Double width flannel dress goods at 48 1/2 cts.

Just received 1000 yards of Hamburg Edgings—exquisite patterns, only 12 cts for any you may select. Finer than we ever sold.

Have you seen those lovely hats, straw and felt—New York style?

Examine our French kid button boot at \$1.75. It beats the town.

Examine our Ladies' wool Vests at 50c and 98c—best quality.

Examine those Ladies' linen handkerchiefs 3 for 25c; a bargain.

Fine, regular made, Ladies' hose warranted fast black at 18c a pair. Best Balbriggan hose at 25c.

We have Ball's celebrated corset; the best in the world.

A new lot of decorated china and glassware on exhibition this week.

We would advise you to  
**CALL EARLY.**

"First come, first served."

**Mitchell's**  
**Bee Hive**  
**STORE.**  
THE LIVE,  
LOW PRICE HOUSE OF  
EDENTON, N. C.

Entered at the Post Office at Edenton as Second-Class Matter.

### Scales and Plants.

Several marriages this week. No cards.

Call at the Bay View Bar for good rich Milk.

Just received a nice lot of boy's overcoats, at O. Newman's.

Miss Kate D. Sharp returned from a visit to Hertford county on Friday.

Milk received daily from Dr. Capehart's fine stock farm at the Bay View Bar.

Just received a new line of Ladies' Misses and Children's Cloaks, at O. Newman's.

Just received—A large and fresh lot of Apples and Grapes, cheap, at F. C. Mitchell & Bro.'s.

Great change in the Ten-Pin Alley. Advantage to the players. Call at Hayes and get information.

We found on our office floor yesterday a note directed to Miss Quessie Johnson, Winton, N. C. Whose is it?

There will be held at the M. E. church on Thursday next, what is termed a Union Thanksgiving meeting by Rev. J. Wm. Lee.

The cotton fields are still looking white. Without good weather our people will be as late as January in gathering the crop.

FOR SALE, and at prices low—Five Mules, three good Brood Mares and three Colts, 3 and 4 years old, all broke and good drivers. Apply to J. E. Bonner & Co.

The Post Office will be closed Thursday—Thanksgiving Day from 11 A. M. to 3 P. M., by order of the Post Office Department. L. L. BRINKLEY, Post Master.

The temperance sermon of Rev. F. M. Setterwhite on Sunday night is said, by all, to have been very fine. A large congregation was present to hear and profit by it.

Clear, cold, health-giving and life-invigorating is the weather we are having just now. Thus may it continue, in keeping with the natural law—"Time to all things."

Oysters cheaper at Hayes' than any house in town.—Fried in cracker dust and butter for only 25c—best we ever ate.—Fresh milk and winter greens can be had daily at Hayes'.

Mrs. John L. Leary, of Fairfield, Va. formerly of our town, was in attendance upon the funeral of W. H. Skinner, notice of whose death appears elsewhere. She returned to her home on Monday.

Mr. D. G. Bond has opened the old Hettrick bakery, Main street, and is prepared to do any kind of work in his line. The services of one of the best ornamental bakers in the country have been secured by him.

The regular singing exercises were held at the Baptist Church Sunday evening which were very interesting. These exercises should be more largely attended, especially by the young ladies of the town. Everybody is invited.

The Edenton Cornet Band returned from the Franklin Fair Friday Light last. They report things lively along the Black water. The fair was a success. The best trotting stock of the season was there exhibited. Mat White says so and he is a judge.

Excellent churches, ably ministered unto, good schools, as good as the best in the State, surpassing hotels, and polite peacable and industrious citizens, if Edenton fails in progress the cause cannot be ascribed save to that old enemy, well named by the letters, W. O. N. T.

The new addition, recently made, to the Woodard House adds greatly to its rear appearance and supplies the urgent demand upon its popular landlord for more room. Friend Rogerson keeps up with the requirements of modern progress in all things. When Edenton fails to attract, the fault will not be found at the door of the hotels.

The side-walks on Saturdays, are made a perfect nuisance by the fruit and candy vendors who occupy them. Complaint against them is becoming universal. They attract crowds that completely blockade the public thoroughfares making them, in some places, not only impassable but converting them into perfect pandemoniums.

Saturday was a stormy day in town—three fights and one arrest. The party arrested was charged with an assault with a deadly weapon, to wit: a gun. He was required to give security and, failing in friends, gave a mortgage on his town lot, to which we have since learned, title was defective. Defective or not it answered his purpose until Tony got his coon (cap) and went on.

Our Business Manager returned last night from his trip to the Franklin Fair and Portsmouth and Norfolk. He reports the fair as being a fine one and in every way a success. Large crowds attended. The exhibition was excellent, the racing good and pretty girls were in abundance. The ball, given by Mr. Vaughan, on Thursday night of the fair, was truly a grand feature of the

occasion. He also reports his trip to Portsmouth and Norfolk as being exceedingly pleasant. He met many of his old friends and acquaintances.

The immense success experienced in the Oyster trade this season enables me to furnish my patrons and friends at rates cheap and within the reach of all. Twenty-five cents per quart. Fresh from Norfolk daily. Baking in large quantities I can afford to sell cheap. Full pint oysters stewed 25c. Full fry (in cracker dust and butter) 25c. Give me a call. Satisfaction guaranteed. R. B. Hayes, King street, Edenton, N. C.

### DEATH.

Died, Thursday, the 17th instant, in Portsmouth, Va., Mr. W. H. Skinner, in the prime of his manhood. He was a son of Joshua T. Skinner and Grandson of John H. Leary, Esq., men too lately dead to be forgotten. Both his paternal and maternal ancestry were naturally in the line of that element which were always regarded as among the most valuable contributors to the material and social possessions of the country. At an early age the deceased married a daughter of our beloved townsman, Dr. W. J. Leary and leaves her a widow with two bright and promising children. His remains were brought to Edenton by his Brother-in-law, Mr. W. J. Leary, Jr., who was early summoned by telegram to his bedside, and were buried in old St. Paul's church yard, amid the ashes of loved ones of other days, to await the final hour—"the end of things created."

Time is winging us away  
To our eternal home;  
Life is but a winter's day,  
A journey to the tomb.

### To the Public.

I have concluded to return to my Draying Again and all persons wishing any hauling done will do well to call on

**M. D. HASTE,**  
Edenton, - - N. C.  
Passengers carried when desired.

**A PERSON!**  
**WANTED.**  
Male or Female—in every township in N. Y. State to take orders for a standard historical work of surpassing beauty, usefulness, and accuracy, which sells at sight. Liberal commissions. Particulars on application. YOU can make \$100 to \$250 per month. Full instructions. Address PHILLIPS & HUNT, 805 Broadway, N. Y. no 15 lm.

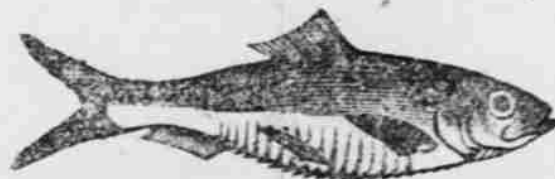
**FRAZER AXLE GREASE**  
BEST IN THE WORLD.  
Its wearing qualities are unsurpassed, actually outlasting two boxes of any other brand. Free from Animal Oils. **GET THE GENUINE.** FOR SALE BY DEALERS GENERALLY.

### BACK AGAIN!

The undersigned having returned to Edenton and opened the same saloon on Main street as occupied last season, gives notice that they will keep a fresh supply of

**NORFOLK OYSTERS**  
on hand during the entire season, which will be served in any style desired—**Stewed, Fried, on Half Shell or by Measure,** in any quantity and at very low prices. Thanking for past favors and soliciting further patronage, we are Yours, &c.,  
**Caskie & Chamberlain.**

M. E. ELLIOTT WITH  
**CALLAHAN & BENNER,**  
Wholesale Commission Dealers in  
**FRESH FISH.**



Game and Terrapin,  
3 & 4 Dock St, Fish Market,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

**D. M. Lee,**

—AGENT FOR—  
**SEVEN BARKS,** the best cure for Dyspepsia ever made.

He is also agent for the  
**Globe Pills,**  
which is warranted to stop a dreadful cough immediately. Give them a trial. On sale at his Jewelry Shop.

### SCHOOL NOTICE.

EDENTON N. C., July 28, 1887.

To the Public:—We are glad to announce that Mr. F. P. Hall, a graduate of Davidson College, N. C., and a teacher of successful experience, will on the 1st Monday in October next, open a School in Edenton for boys and girls. The terms will be reasonable and will be published later.

Mr. Hall brings with him the very highest endorsements, as a gentleman and a teacher. He is employed by a number of citizens, who feel the need of increased educational advantages in Edenton and whose ONLY purpose is to promote that object. No means will be spared to make the school a success. We have been appointed to make the announcement and to ask the patronage and good will of our people for the School.

W. D. Pruden, T. B. Bland, Jas. C. Bond, J. R. B. Hathaway, Edward Wood, Committee.

### THE EDENTON GRADED SCHOOL.

Fall Term Ending Dec. 3, 1887.

PROF. L. A. WILLIAMS, Principal.  
MRS. R. F. CHESBROUGH, Assistant.  
MISS M. A. THOMPSON, Teacher.

RATES:	ANNUAL:	QUARTERLY:
First Grade,	\$10.00,	\$2.50.
Second "	\$8.00,	\$2.00.
Third "	\$6.00,	\$1.50.
Fourth "	\$4.00,	\$1.00.

Charges are made from date of entrance. Proper deductions for protracted illness. The next term of this School will begin December 5th, 1887.

A special feature of the new incorporation of our school is that every resident patron is credited with the Public funds apportioned to his children under the school law of the State.

Resident children who are dependent upon the Public School funds for education are received into the School at any time without charge.

This school and system offers the best educational advantages attainable in Edenton. By dividing pupils of several grades of advancement, among teachers employed for each grade, better and more efficient instruction is obtained at less cost than can be had otherwise.

Pupils from other districts are invited to enter the School at above rates of instruction, and they can obtain good board at moderate prices.

By order of the board of Trustees of the Edenton Graded School, Oct. 1887.  
B. F. ELLIOTT, President.  
C. C. BADHAM, Sec. pro tem.

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**ETHERIDGE, FULGHAM & COMPANY,**

[ESTABLISHED 1867]  
**COTTON FACTORS AND Commission Merchants,**  
13 and 21  
Commerce St., Norfolk, Va.  
Specialties—Cotton, Lumber and Peanuts.

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"The Economy Railroad."

To Success!  
To Savingville!  
To Excellence!  
To Rapid Sales!  
To Reliability!  
To Quality!  
To Satisfaction.  
To Low Prices.

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**Bargain Station No. 1.**  
THAT'S OUR STORE.

Free Passes to Economy and all the above points issued to every patron of the

**LEVY**  
**CLOTHING HOUSE**

LOUIS LEVY, Agent,  
where a large, well-selected stock of Clothing, Dry Goods, Hats and Notions has just been received. You can find the place by inquiring for the Old Dillon Store, next to Barber Shop, EDENTON, N. C.

## NOW IS YOUR CHANCE!

My immense fall & winter stock is perfect!

I have received the largest and handsomest line of bright, new and seasonable dress goods, trimmings, wraps, notions, underwear, hats, shoes, boots, and men's, youths' and boys' clothing ever shown here.

Everything is fresh from the northern markets, selected by myself to suit the requirements of my customers. Many will wonder at this extraordinary

## LOW PRICES

which everything is marked down to.

All sorts of theories will be advanced, but I have only one reply for all

## CASH DID IT!

Ready money is the wonderful lever which overturned high prices.

And cash will secure the choice of all the wonderful bargains of which I mention a few below:

Red flannel Drawers and Shirts, \$1.25; red Fannel, all wool, 20c and 25 cents a yard; heavy Undershirts, from 25c up; heavy twill Cottons, 8c; heavy brown Cottons, 5c; yard wide Bleaching, 6c; Corsets, 25c; striped and plain Velvets, in all colors, 40c; worth 75c; men's, ladies' and children's Hats, 5c; Calicoes, nice Patterns, 4c; plain Calicoes in all colors, 6c; Best Ticking, 8c; pure linen Toweling, 6c; ladies' rubber Coats, 75c; woman's everyday Shoes, 80c; worth \$1.00; boys' Hats, 20 cents; ladies' and children's Shoes, lower than elsewhere; men's Derby Hats, brown and black, 75c; worth \$1.50; men's Slouch Hats, 75c; worth \$1.00; boys' Hats, 20 cents; heavy winter Pants, \$1.00, worth \$2.50; boys' knee Pants, 4—12 years, from 25c up; men's Suits, from \$2.50 up, worth \$7.50; men's cheviot Suits, \$7.50, worth \$12.50; men's fine square-cut dress Suits, \$12.50, worth \$25.00; boys' Suits, from \$2.00 up; men's Overcoats, from \$3.00 up. Trunks, Valises, Accordions, Harps and many other things too numerous to mention.

I have bargains in every department and invite an examination of my goods and prices.

Respectfully,

**G. NEWMAN,**

Perkins' Old Stand—Cheap Side—MAIN STREET.